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Shaw Bid Denied by La. Court

The Louisiana Supreme Court today rejected Clay L. Shaw's latest move to avoid prosecution on perjury charges, and barring a last-ditch legal move Shaw will go to trial Monday.

The possibility remained that Shaw's attorneys could ask the Supreme Court for a reconsideration or go into federal court. Shaw's attorneys were unavailable for comment early this afternoon.

The case is scheduled to go to trial Monday morning before Criminal District Judge Malcolm V. O'Hara.

THE PERJURY charge against Shaw grew out of his testimony in his own behalf in his 1969 trial on charges of conspiring to kill President John F. Kennedy.

A jury acquitted Shaw of the charge but District Attorney Jim Garrison charged Shaw lied under oath when he testified he never knew accused presidential assassin Lee Harvey Oswald or former airline pilot David W. Ferrie, who died here Feb. 22, 1967, under mysterious circumstances. Garrison claims Shaw, Ferrie and Oswald were linked in a conspiracy to kill Kennedy.

In the 6-1 ruling today, the state Supreme Court denied Shaw's writ of certiorari, refusing to review a decision of Judge O'Hara who refused to dismiss the perjury count.

DISSENTING WAS Justice Walter B. Hamlin, who held that Shaw's petition was sufficient to warrant a review by the high court.

Shaw's attorneys contended the jury which freed Shaw in the conspiracy case in effect ruled on the validity of his testimony.